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Α. Memos for USC from Executive Secretary, same subject, deted January 24 March 2, March 8, and April 4, 1949, respectively. в.

At its 37th meeting the National Security Council considered the report by the Dulles-Jackson-Correa Survey Group on the subject and comments with respect thereto (Reference B) and referred them to the Secretaries of State and Defense to prepare, in consultation with the Secretary of the Treasury and the Attorney General, and in the light of the discussion at that Council meeting, specific recommendations for Council action. (Reference A)

The enclosed report by the Secretaries of State and Defense on the subject prepared pursuant to NSC Action No. 202 in consultation with the Departments of the Treasury and Justice, is submitted herewith for consideration by the National Security Council at its next meeting of the recommendations contained therein.

The Attorney General is being invited to participate in the Council's consideration of this report.

The Secretary of Defense expressed the view that, upon approval the recommendations should be put into effect at once and the Council should plan to have a suitable review of the progress made after a reasonable period of implementation.

It is requested that this report be handled with special security precautions.

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